

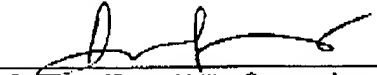


AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)				Docket No. 606-25-PCT-PA	
Applicant(s): Soeren Gregersen					
Serial No. 09/786,495	Filing Date April 30, 2001	Examiner Maureen Wallenhorst	Group Art Unit 1743		
Invention: APPARATUS FOR ISOLATION OF PARTICLES, PREFERABLY CELL CLUSTERS					
<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION – 37 CFR 1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 22, 2003, please amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

An Abstract is presented on page 13 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.

A request for a three-month extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) is submitted herewith, along with the fee prescribed by 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1).

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